Dear Mark Ruskell MSP

I am emailing in support of your Proposal for a Members' Bill on 20mph zones. I am responding as an individual member of the public.

I fully support your proposal to replace the 30mph default speed limit with a 20mph limit. 30mph should be made the exception rather than the rule.

I believe it's a vitally important change which will make our streets safer for walkers and cyclists, as well as lowering levels of air pollution and carbon emissions in Scotland.

Safer streets will be a step towards making our urban environments more people-friendly, helping to start the process of re-connecting communities as roads become less car dominated. Fewer road casualties, the potential increases in walking and cycling, and the potential reductions in pollution will lead to a healthier and more active society, with associated cost savings to the NHS.

Yours sincerely,

My response can be published without my name

I am happy to be contacted in relation to this submission

By submitting my response to Mark Ruskell MSP’s office, I understand that it will be shared with the Scottish Parliament Non-Governmental Bills Unit